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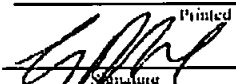
Title: Multiple Entry Points for  
System Call Instructions

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